



Psychologist II

Characteristics of Work

This is professional psychological work in research and administration of the more complex diagnostic psychological techniques for appraising intelligence, memory, personality and other psychological functions for individuals and for groups. Incumbents in this classification are responsible for complete phases of work or are in charge of research projects in the psychology division. Only general administrative supervision is received. Supervision is usually exercised over psychologists and technical personnel and other research workers.

Examples of Work

Examples of work performed in this classification include, but are not limited to, the following:

Plans and supervises research projects in the fields of abnormal and clinical psychology.

Collaborates with psychiatrists and other professional staff in carrying out progressive psychological research and testing activities.

Administers various psychological tests and interprets the results.

Performs research for formulating and devising special tests and procedures for psychological examinations.

Correlates psychological findings with those of other research sections.

Prepares articles, lectures and reports presenting the results of complicated research work.

Performs related or similar duties as required or assigned.

Essential Functions

These essential functions include, but are not limited to, the following. Additional essential functions may be identified and included by the hiring agency.

1. Researches and administers complex diagnostic psychological techniques.
2. Develops treatment programs/plans.
3. Conducts individual and/or group therapy.
4. Supervises psychologists and technical personnel.

Minimum Qualifications

These minimum qualifications have been agreed upon by Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) in this job class and are based upon a job analysis and the essential functions. However, if a candidate believes he/she is qualified for the job although he/she does not have the minimum qualifications set forth below, he/she

may request special consideration through substitution of related education and experience, demonstrating the ability to perform the essential functions of the position. Any request to substitute related education or experience for minimum qualifications must be addressed to the State Personnel Board in writing, identifying the related education and experience which demonstrates the candidate's ability to perform all essential functions of the position.

Physical Requirements: These physical requirements are not exhaustive, and additional job related physical requirements may be added to these by individual agencies on an as needed basis. Corrective devices may be used to meet physical requirements.

Light Work: May frequently walk or stand and/or frequently exert force equivalent to lifting up to approximately 10 pounds and/or occasionally exert force equivalent to lifting up to approximately 20 pounds.

Vision: Requires the ability to perceive the nature of objects by the eye.

Near acuity: Clarity of vision at 20 inches or less.

Midrange: Clarity of vision at distances of more than 20 inches and less than 20 feet.

Accommodation: Ability to adjust focus.

Motor Coordination: While performing the duties of this job, the incumbent is frequently required to walk; stand. The incumbent is occasionally required to sit; use hands to finger, handle, or feel objects, tools, or controls; reach with hands and arms; and stoop, kneel, crouch, or bend.

Speaking/Hearing: Ability to give and receive information through speaking and listening skills.

Experience/Educational Requirements:

Education:

A Doctorate Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Psychology (counseling, educational, developmental, social or clinical), Counseling, Counselor Education, Community Counseling, or Psychometry, including or supplemented by the completion of two (2) psychological testing/assessment courses which are acceptable to the appointing authority.

AND

Experience:

One (1) year of experience in work related to the above-described duties.

Documentation Required: Applicants must attach a valid copy of his/her transcript or other evidence to verify completion of required course work.

Interview Requirements

Any candidate who is called to an agency for an interview must notify the interviewing agency in writing of any reasonable accommodation needed prior to the date of the interview.